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Sir:

Pursuant to 36 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicant, by his attorneys, hereby bring the additional documents listed in the attached PTO form 1449 to the attention of the Examiner in connection with the examination of the above-captioned patent application.

> 1. U.S. Patent No. 5,193,189; and

## 2. EP 0 735 445 A2.

An English language abstract for the European reference is also attached.

There has been no official action in connection with this application. Accordingly, consideration of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.97(c) is respectfully requested in connection with the examination of the above-captioned patent application.

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